

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Appl of: SHINITZKY, et al. : Group Art Unit: 1649
Serial No. 09/647,457 : Examiner: Dr. S. Turner
Filed: November 29, 2000 : Atty Docket: 24390
For: **ASSAY FOR THE DIAGNOSIS OF
SCHIZOPHRENIA BASED ON A
NEW PEPTIDE**

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

SMALL ENTITY

Sir/Madam:

Pursuant to 37 CFR §§ 1.17, 1.136, applicant(s), a qualified SMALL ENTITY, hereby petition(s) for an extension of time as follows:

- ☐ One-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action dated _____ (\$_____.00 fee)
- ☒ Two-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action dated 09/12/2005 (\$225.00 fee)
- ☐ Three-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action dated _____ (\$510.00 fee)
- ☐ Four-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action dated _____ (\$795.00 fee)
- ☐ Five-month extension of time to respind to the Office Action dated _____ (\$1,080.00 fee)
- ☒ A check including the above-indicated amount is enclosed. If extensions of time under 37 CFR § 1.136 other than those provided herewith are required to allow consideration of papers accompanying this Petition, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge fee deficiency under 37 CFR § 1.16 or 1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 14-0112.

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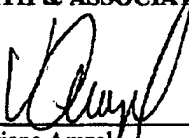
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